



# **MOC Charitable Foundation**

**2025 Annual Report**





# Supporting Humanitarian Projects for over 28 years to make a difference to Communities Globally.

## About Us



We pride ourselves on minimal overheads as every penny donated to us goes straight into Charitable works.

We focus on supporting those humanitarian projects that may be too small for large International charities but make a big difference to the lives of people in those countries concerned.

We support other small to medium charities, with a preference for those led by people in the field.

# Our 3 Key Priorities



**Relief of Poverty &  
Sickness**



**The Preservation &  
Protection of Good Health**



**The Advancement of  
Education & Religion**



# The MOC Charitable Foundation

## Chairman Welcome



**Prof. Jose Martines**  
(Chairman)

Individually we can do a lot – but working together we can do much more. This is particularly important when resources are scarce. The MOC Charitable Foundation aims to pull together our contributions and direct them to the support of worthwhile causes. This year our funds were scarcer, and we had to restrict funding to fewer projects. The challenge made our Board accelerate its search for new strategies to increase resources. Our Foundation's income is heavily dependent on the contributions from MOC members. Despite inflation, the level of these contributions has not increased for several years, reducing our ability to respond to worthy causes.

We feel we need to act on various fronts to improve this situation. We need to communicate better with our members about the Charity's work and encourage an increase in donations. We need more effective use of our website, communicating the Foundation's objectives so that members see more clearly the benefits of current and future donations. We may also sharpen the focus of our grants, moving from the current three areas of health, education and religion towards one or two with which our members have greater attachment and see as more relevant. To this end, we will be conducting a poll of our membership early in 2026.

Our Foundation reaches the end of 2025 with the satisfaction of having sustained support to its most valuable projects despite going through a period of lower income. We end the year however with the hope of doing more and doing better. Your increased engagement and participation will be essential towards a better future.

Warm wishes for 2026 and the Foundation looks to hearing your views.

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## Our Board

The Board of the MOC Foundation are a group of professional individuals from a variety of backgrounds that embody The MOC Foundation's spirit and key priorities to deliver tangible lasting results for both people and communities.



**Prof. Jose Martines  
(Chairman)**



**Adolfo Crawford  
(Secretary)**



**Robert Parsons  
(Treasurer)**



**Andrew Lane**



**Matthew Cavanagh**



**James Lane**



**Stephen Screech**



**Maurizio Fantato**



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## Projects Supported in 2025

### Allsorts, UK

**£3,000**



**“For children and young people with additional needs to have a choice of meaningful and accessible opportunities and for their whole families to feel supported and included.”**

#### **Allsorts Vision**

The proposal requested support for Allsorts Gloucestershire, specifically with a grant of £3,000, to contribute to the costs associated with providing sports sessions for disabled children and young people.

With MOC Foundation funding Allsorts have been able to facilitate 24 swimming lessons, with a total of 394 attendances in total, and supported 49 individual family members.

**“Thanks to MOC donation this fantastic charity has been able to provide invaluable support and resources to both children and their carers.” Allsorts, 2025.**



**“Provision of such need-based services for the visually impaired to enable them to develop their latent talents and realize their fullest potential is what the Blind Relief Association, Delhi.”**

**Blind Relief  
Association Vision**

## **Projects Supported in 2025**

### **Blind Relief Association, India**

**£10,000**



Over the last 28 years, the MOC Foundation has supported the BRA enabling projects to be sustained to benefit visually impaired children.

MOC Foundation in 2025 continued supporting the production of Braille and audio books and the special care unit for children with multiple disabilities by providing a grant of £10,000.

For persons with visual impairments, accessible resources are essential to education, information, and equal opportunity. Without them, barriers to learning, inclusion, and independence only grow. The Blind Relief Association is committed to producing such materials, enabling beneficiaries to thrive alongside their sighted peers. In the past year, 62 titles in Hindi, English, and Japanese – totalling 1,025 volumes were produced in Braille transcription. To date, the studio has produced 948 audio titles in Hindi, English, and Sanskrit and this year 18 titles in Hindi and English were produced in E-Text production.



## Projects Supported in 2025

### HCPT, Pilgrimage to Lourdes

**£5,000**



**“HCPT is a volunteer-based charitable organisation founded in response to Our Lady's invitation to go on pilgrimage to Lourdes. Our aim is to enable those who may need help, especially the young, to experience pilgrimage, and we do that in small caring groups, seeking to share, with joy, the gift of God's love.”**

#### **HCPT Vision**

HCPT (Hosanna House and Children's Pilgrimage Trust) offers pilgrimage holidays to Lourdes in the South of France, for disabled and disadvantaged people from around the UK.

Since 2003, the MOC Foundation have been sponsoring 3-4 children in Group 181 from HCTP. Each beneficiary has varying needs ranging from children with Down's Syndrome, Cerebral Palsy, Achondroplasia, ASD, and Mental Health as well as Social Needs. The support allows the children and volunteer helpers to enjoy a fun and safe week in Lourdes especially as the costs of travelling has increased with additional support per volunteer and beneficiary.

**“We are grateful for your support. For HCPT to continue helping children and adults in need, we rely on donations and volunteers.” Group 181, HCPT.**



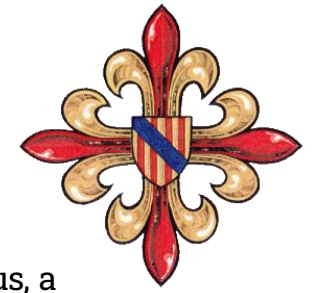


# MOC Charitable Foundation

## Completed Projects



# The MOC Charitable Foundation



## Completed Projects supported through the Foundation

Over the last 28 years we have supported a wide range of projects, from orphanages in Romania (Husi), a children hospice in Belarus, a school in Zambia, HIV-AIDS work in the Congo, have donated an ambulance in Lima (Rapid UK) and helped countless individuals and other charities. The list below is by no means exhaustive but provides a synopsis of the main activities of the Foundation since its inception.

### Ethiopia Link Children's Orphanage

The Foundation funded the establishment and running of a small orphanage in the outskirts of Addis Ababa for children who are at risk of being homeless, providing them long-term accommodation and care at a securely managed house.



### Abaana Project

The Foundation funded St Francis Xavier Secondary school in Zambia, Africa to fulfil the cost of providing secondary education for 20 children for one year.



### Sense UK

Funding was allocated to provide clinical assessments and assistive devices to hearing impaired and blind children in Kenya.



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Completed Projects supported through the Foundation cont.



## Shakespeare Schools Festival UK



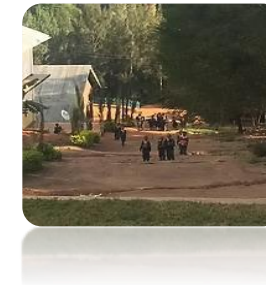
The Foundation provided a contribution to fund two nights of performances during this Festival in Ilford, Essex

## RAPID International



Funding was provided for the purchase of an ambulance, assisting the establishment of an emergency medical response team in Ghana, West Africa.

## The Institute of Charity



The Foundation provided essential funding for the support of the Rosminian Nursery School in Kwalukonge, Tanzania.

## Blind Relief Association, India

The Blind Relief Association (BRA), Delhi runs a school for 200 children with visual impairment. Our Foundation supports two projects at the BRA.



## Richards House, London UK

Richard House is the only children's hospice in East London and has provided care to children with life-limiting conditions and their families for 20 years. Its services are available free of charge to around 300 families each year.



## Basic Healthcare Services

Basic Healthcare Services (BHS) is a registered non-governmental organisation in India running clinics in rural areas in southern Rajasthan. Support is currently provided for the management of diabetes in young people, a need currently not met by existing public services.



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